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Dear Dr. Hashim,

"You have here the greatest assemblage of talent from the cancer research community I have seen since I came to Chicago."

Ralph Weichselbaum, M.D. Chairman, Department of Radiation & Cellular Oncology University of Chicago

The FOUNDATIONS OF LEUKEMIA RESEARCH: Promise for the Future conference was held this fall and was reviewed with praise by all of the scientists who presented as well as those in attendance.

The scientists felt that the cross disciplinary nature of the conference was essential to their increased understanding of leukemia. We have been told that many attendees and presenters went back to their laboratories and held lengthy discussions about how the conference information will impact the direction of their own research. This is a truly exciting prospect for the future of leukemia research.

"Lives will have been saved because of this conference" said Alan Diamond, Chairman of our Medical Advisory Board. An extraordinary outcome for our first Scientific Conference...

Without you it would not have happened. Thank you once again for your generous contribution.

Gratefully,

Tanie Weisenberg
Executive Director

P.S. Enclosed please find our conference booklet for your verification.